

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

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| UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, |) | |
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| Plaintiff, |) | 8:23CR39 |
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| vs. |) | |
| |) | ORDER |
| KHALAH BEARD, ALEXAS DAVIS and |) | |
| JOAN ROBINSON, |) | |
| |) | |
| Defendants. |) | |

This matter is before the court on defendant Khalah Beard's Motion to Continue Trial [108]. For the reasons set forth in the motion, the undersigned finds good cause to grant the continuance. Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED that the Motion to Continue Trial [108] is granted, as follows:

1. The jury trial, **for all defendants**, now set for March 12, 2024, is continued to **May 21, 2024**.
2. In accordance with 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), the court finds that the ends of justice will be served by granting this continuance and outweigh the interests of the public and the defendants in a speedy trial. Any additional time arising as a result of the granting of this motion, that is, the time between **today's date and May 21, 2024**, shall be deemed excludable time in any computation of time under the requirement of the Speedy Trial Act. Failure to grant a continuance would deny counsel the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due diligence. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(6), (7)(A) & (B)(iv).
3. **No further continuances will be granted without requesting a hearing before the undersigned magistrate judge.**

DATED: February 29, 2024

BY THE COURT:

s/ Susan M. Bazis
United States Magistrate Judge